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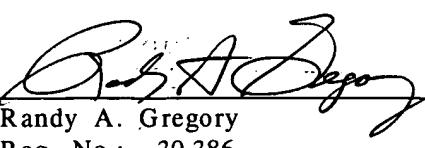
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Small Entity Status is claimed. Large Entity Status Applies.

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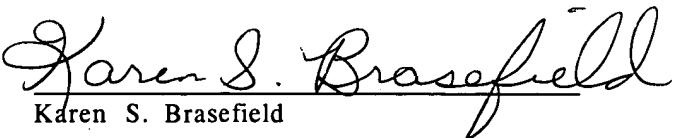
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APPLICANT'S CALCULATION OF TOTAL FEES DUE						
FEE TYPES						Amount (\$)
BASIC FEE (\$790/395)						
CLAIMS FEES	Number of Claims Remaining After Any Amendment	Minus the Larger		Equals	Times Rate (\$)	
		Number Allowed in Base Fee	Number of Claims For Which Fees Have Been Paid	Excess Claims For Which Fees Are Now Due		
Total Claims		20			22	11 = 0
Indep. Claims		3			82	41 = 0
EXTENSION FEES (\$) An extension of a shortened statutory time for response under 37 CFR 1.136(a) is requested as indicated or as necessary to maintain the pendency of this application.				1 Month 2 Month 3 Month 4 Month 5 Month	110 400 950 1,510 2,060	55 200 475 755 1,030
Any Extension Fee Believed Needed						
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